

TRAIN THE TRAINER WORKSHOPS FOR TRAINERS OF PESTICIDE HANDLERS AND AGRICULTURAL FIELDWORKERS

OFFERED BY
WASHINGTON STATE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE
ENGLISH OR SPANISH

TRAIN THE TRAINER

These workshops have been specifically designed for people who conduct pesticide safety training at agricultural establishments. It will help trainers effectively deliver pesticide safety training to PESTICIDE HANDLERS AND FIELDWORKERS as mandated by the state and federal Worker Protection Standard (WPS). Trainers will be qualified to issue WPS worker and handler training verification cards.

WORKSHOP DESCRIPTION

The daylong workshop is packed full of information for farm owners and training managers. Successful learning is guaranteed through small group size and hands-on, interactive training. Participants will rotate through four modules, taught by two different trainers. At the end of the day, participants will have the opportunity to practice what they have learned by conducting training in front of an audience. Course graduates will receive a WSDA Certified Trainer card, a certificate of completion, and EPA training materials.

TOPICS

- **Basic pesticide information & pre-training / logistics** – Definition of pesticides ♦ pesticide types and formulations ♦ toxicity levels ♦ pesticide labels ♦ benefits and risks of pesticides, etc.
- **Training methodology** – Create a good learning environment ♦ make training interactive ♦ public speaking ♦ make training practical, relevant and useful ♦ handling difficult people.
- **Federal & State WPS regulations** – WPS regulations and components ♦ WPS training requirements for field workers ♦ WPS training requirements for pesticide handlers.
- **Training process** – Sensitivity to culture, language and literacy ♦ overcoming language barriers ♦ train without personal agendas ♦ self-motivation ♦ avoiding advocacy roles ♦ respect for growers and workers.

CREDITS: Participants will receive 6 pesticide license recertification credits.

FEE: Cost is \$35 per person payable to the sponsor.

REGISTRATION: Space is limited to 30 people! If you are unable to make a class you are registered for, PLEASE call and cancel so another person can attend! Register early by calling the sponsor or contact Jaime Ramon at (509) 531-6152 and provide the following information:

- Participant's complete name
- Pesticide license number if applicable, and
- Phone number.

DATES, LOCATIONS & SPONSORS*			
Grandview - March 4 th Level 1	Royal City – March 11 th Level 1	Chelan – March 18 th Level 1	Yakima - March 25 th Level 2**
Sponsored by: Yakima Valley Community College – Grandview Campus For Registration call: Zulma Reyes @ (509) 882-7015	Sponsored by: WSU Grant/Adams Cooperative Extension office For Registration call Karen Lewis at (509) 760-2263	Sponsored by: WSU Grant/Adams Cooperative Extension Office For Registration call Karen Lewis at (509) 760-2263	Sponsored by: WSU Grant/Adams Cooperative Extension Office For Registration call Karen Lewis at (509) 760-2263

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** In-depth training for Level 1 graduates only.